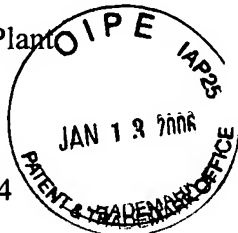


**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☒ No additional fee is required.

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